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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PGOV, PEPR, PINS, CY
SUBJECT: REOPENING OF DAVIES CASE

REF: NICOSIA 1796

1. DURING TELEPHONE CALL REPORTED REFTTEL, PRESIDENT KYPRIANOU REFERRED TO ANNOUNCEMENT THAT GOC WAS REOPENING INVESTIGATION INTO AMBASSADOR DAVIES' MURDER AND ASKED IF I HAD ANY OBJECTION TO HIS RELEASING THE TWO MEN PRESENTLY CONVICTED OF COMPLICITY ON THE UNDERSTANDING THEY WOULD WORK WITH THE GOVERNMENT TO TRY AND ESTABLISH THOSE WHO WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR GIVING THE ORDER TO SHOOT. HE REMINDED ME THAT, IN ANY EVENT, THE TWO WOULD BE SET FREE IN AUGUST.

2. I ASKED IF THERE WAS ANY ASSURANCE THE INDIVIDUALS WOULD IN FACT COOPERATE WHOLEHEARTEDLY, AND THE PRESIDENT REPLIED QTE THEY HAVE PROMISED UNQTE. I TOLD HIM IF HE WAS SATISFIED THEY WOULD INDEED COOPERATE IN THE NEW INVESTIGATION I WOULD NOT OBJECT TO THEIR EARLY RELEASE.
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